

Docket No.: 1015-011

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of: Fred Albert Dykins, et al. : Confirmation No.: 1215  
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**RESPONSE /AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTION  
UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.116**

Sir:

The following Amendment and Remarks are submitted under 37 C.F.R. §1.116 in response to the Office Action mailed 4/25/2003, following the revised amendment format as set forth in the Notice "Amendments in a Revised Format Now Permitted". After this introductory section there are Amendments to the Claims and then Remarks, each starting on a separate page. Amendments to the Claims consist of amended replacements for claims 1, 3, 4, 13, 15, 16, and 24, which are incorporated in a complete listing of the claims.

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